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THURSDAY & FRIDAY ARE CLEAN-UP DAYS FOR HICKMAN

HICKMAN ON MAP.

Our City Extreme Western Point on Ky. Aerial Route Map.

Activities on the part of Hickman Field, Kentucky's only flying center, in connection with Victory Liberty Loan campaign, have helped to develop a movement to put Kentucky in the lead of other States in establishing aviation on a permanent basis for commercial and mail projects. Plans worked out by Lieut. Col. John N. Reynolds, until recently commanding officer of Hickman Field, will be put into effect. It is announced.

After assuming command of Hickman Field on March 5, Col. Reynolds was instrumental in initiating two movements which undoubtedly will do much toward promotion of aviation both commercially and otherwise; namely, an aerial photographic map of a large section of the State, as well as a plan for organizing the entire State in a movement for a system of aerial routes by numbering towns a certain distance apart, along with the preparation of landing fields in every county.

Fulton county is to have two landing points—Hickman and Fulton, the route being direct from Stithon to Mayfield, thence to either of these cities.

With the maps now available, cross-country flying is a more or less, and in most cases more, dangerous undertaking. Ordinarily, clouds are to be found at altitudes lower than the height at which it is considered safe to fly over territories unknown to the aviator. Frequently the pilot is unable to properly maintain a course above the clouds and upon coming down below them he finds that he cannot locate himself on the map. It is then necessary to make a landing to ascertain his position, otherwise he might land himself much further off his course. If the field picked out for a landing does not prove to be a good one, a "crash" is likely to result. If a field cannot be found that looks good, the aviator finds himself forced to land because of shortage of gasoline.

It is therefore obvious that if various towns would provide a marking numbers coinciding with those on a map being prepared, has been suggested, an aviator would be able to orient himself rapidly and continue on his way toward a known landing field.

It is considered feasible to place a landing field in each county. This can be done with practically no expense. In nearly every community a pasture or meadow sufficiently large for a landing field is easily found. This field should be of firm and level turf, approximately 1,200 feet square (100 feet square might do if nothing better is to be had) and should be free from obstacles such as trees, houses, etc., in or near the field. What little work is to be done, such as clearing brush and small obstacles, will in most cases be volunteered by Boy Scouts' organizations. The marking of a landing field should be a large "X" which should be at least forty feet long by five feet in width.

The despatching numbers co-operating in this movement are asked to display should be fifty feet high when possible, with no line less than four feet in width, in order that they may readily be seen from high altitudes. These numbers might be made from canvas staked to the ground, laid out in boards painted white, formed of white stones or painted on the roof of a prominent building. If they

WAR CROSS WINNERS OF THE 370TH INFANTRY



From right to left: Capt. G. M. Allen, Lieut. O. A. Browning, Capt. D. J. Warner, Lieut. Roy B. Tisdell, Capt. J. H. Smith, rear row, Capt. J. H. Smith, Lieut. P. Hurd, Lieut. Col. Otis B. Duncan, Maj. J. R. White, Capt. W. B. Crawford, Lieut. W. J. Warfield, Capt. M. Jackson; officers of the Three Hundred and Seventieth Infantry colored troops, who have been awarded the Croix de Guerre by the French government for bravery in action. These men are mostly from Illinois.

be placed in the landing field care should be taken that they would not offer an obstruction to a safe landing.

During the present cross-country flights, messages are being dropped to the Mayor of each town selected as the feasible place for a designating point or a landing field, asking these officials to cooperate in this plan to make Kentucky the first State to initiate to institute such a system of "aerial roads."

Wherever landing fields are prepared, or designating numbers displayed, the town will be visited by a photographic plane, photographed and a landing made if possible. These photographs will be sent to Washington, D. C., to become a part of a map showing every landing place in the country. Copies will also be presented to the town's officials for distribution.

With the proper number of designating points, Kentucky should be more traveled by airplanes. It is declared, than any other State in the nation.

Mrs. T. A. Stark has been quite ill for several days. She suffered an attack of flu during the recent epidemic and complications followed which she has not been able to overcome. Her condition has been serious for the past two weeks.

Mrs. Chas. Travis and children are expected to return home from California about the middle of this month, after spending the winter on the coast.

Mrs. Ellis Dalton left first of the week for Franklin, Tenn., to visit her home folks.

MAY JURIES.

Juries Summoned to Serve May Term Fulton Circuit Court

The regular tri-annual term of Fulton Circuit Court will convene in Hickman next Monday morning, with a large number of cases to be disposed of. Contrary to the general rule, there will be no murder cases for trial at this term. Sheriff Walker and Deputy Thomas have about completed the work of summoning jurors, the panels being composed of the following gentlemen:

Grand Jury:

B. C. Ramage, Jesse McNeil, A. J. Wiley, L. H. Bacon, E. E. Bondurant, E. T. Randle, T. A. Stark, J. W. Ward, Joe Blufford, J. O. West, Floyd Rushart, Nim Walker, R. M. Isler, Newt Bondurant, W. N. Brashfield, Charlie Griswold, P. G. McMurry, J. W. Kingston, C. M. Reynolds, H. C. Helm.

Petit Jury:

M. R. Bondurant, Charlie Vance, W. T. Bondurant, George Buck, Ben Hale, L. D. Maddox, Ed. Boucher, Will McDade, Isaac Huff, Chris Ledwidge, L. M. Bushart, C. G. Alexander, L. N. Gregory, J. C. Barnett, W. B. Clark, J. E. Torrett, T. P. Vaughn, J. J. Seay, John R. Lunsford, S. H. Linder, Albert Graves, Berry Threlkeld, Jeff Davis, J. S. Creed, Dan Davis, A. A. Minstree, Roy F. Clark, Walter Crostie, H. H. Harding, C. S. Patterson, J. P. Thomas, C. A. Wilson, J. R. Brown, E. Dobson.

The remains of R. B. Wilkerson, who died at Pittsburgh, Pa., were brought back to his old home at Fulton for burial Saturday. He formerly lived in Fulton, having left with his family about twelve years ago. During his citizenship there he was engaged in the mercantile business. At the time of his death he was 70 years old.

Mrs. Pearl Ledford and Miss Camille Barrett went to Nashville Sunday to be the guests of the former's father, Dave Bryant. Miss Barrett remained over to hear Caruso and Gail Curci in their recital there.

A heavy rain fell here Monday night.

DAVIS FOR SENATOR.

Prominent Hickman Atty. Announces Is Well Qualified.

Judge B. T. Davis, our fellow citizen, is a candidate for State Senator subject to the action of the Democratic party at the August primary. Judge Davis is a successful and well known lawyer and is in every way fit for this honorable position. In due time he will meet the citizens and voters of the district to discuss the important measures that may come up for legislation. Assurance is given that Judge Davis will be found on the right side. He has burned the midnight oil and believes in education and good schools and a good road to every school house. He is heartily in accord with the action of the legislature heretofore on the liquor question. He will advocate measures for the better enforcement of all laws.

He is interested in agriculture, being the owner of farm lands and is in favor of a policy that will remove from the laborer and employer any cause for dissatisfactions. Like other citizens he feels the burden of taxation and will seek to remove the defects of the present system. He was active in all matters connected with the war and gave his time without pay to adjusting the war risk insurance allotments and whatever affected the welfare of the soldiers. He advocates the policies and cherishes the ideals of President Wilson and the other great leaders of the party.

In introducing Senator Davis, we say that it is a pleasure to be acquainted with him and that the honor given to him as Senator will be an honor to the district.

HOW TO CLEAN UP.

Get busy.
Bat the rat.
Use the hoe.
Swat the fly.
Don't knock.
Plant flowers.
Take the yard.
Kill the germs.
Burn the rubbish.
Plan for a garden.
Clean up everything.
Go after the garbage.
Paint up, inside and out.
Help to make Hickman healthy, wealthy and happy.

SIMPLY PAPER "SHEEPSKINS."

College graduates will receive no sheepskins this year, according to Thomas O'Shaughnessy of Chicago, diploma specialist, who said recently that graduation certificates are being issued on plain paper, camouflaged to resemble parchment. America relied on Europe for its stock of diploma material, he said, and the supply was exhausted long ago. None is being shipped at present.

We understand Fulton county will have a big strawberry crop this year and that home-grown berries will soon be on the market.

The cotton seed mill of the Roberts corporation at Cairo, was destroyed by fire Saturday morning, entailing a loss of around \$500,000. Cause of the fire is unknown.

All kinds of fresh canned goods at Bettsworth's.

CHINKS AND JAPS

Are Expected to Pour Into U. S. at Rate of 2,000,000 Annually.

Immigration of 2,000,000 foreigners, mostly Chinese and Japanese, every year for the next 50 years, was predicted at Washington, Saturday, by Abraham Bowers, immigration secretary of the Y. M. C. A., in the course of an address before the Illinois State Americanization committee.

Mr. Bowers based his prediction on the assumption that the growth of the United States for the next half century will require herds of common laborers.

"They must come from the Orient," said Mr. Bowers. "The European laborer now in this country is fast graduating into more skilled occupations, and further immigration from that source doubtless will be greatly curtailed owing to the depletion of manpower in Europe by the war."

"Hence the war we assimilated about 1,000,000 immigrants a year. They were mostly used in common labor. As our country grows the need for labor increases in ratio. There is only one place for it to come from now—China and Japan. Therefore they are bound to come, and I believe they will intermarry with our people as other immigrants are doing. Japanese and Chinese students now marry our university girls. They will override racial prejudice, literacy tests and every other obstacle."

FLOTILLA COMING.

Submarine, Destroyer, Chasers, Flying Boats Will Visit Hickman.

A real war-river attraction, one of the most interesting that ever came up the Mississippi river, will soon be enroute upstream, and will, of course, visit Hickman. A special from Washington first of the week says:

"Arrangements for sending an anti-submarine flotilla consisting of the destroyer Isabel, the submarine K-5, three submarine chasers and two flying boats to the Mississippi river for display at cities and towns along the river and its tributaries are being completed rapidly by the Navy Department. It was announced today that the flotilla would rendezvous at New Orleans and then proceed upstream as far as possible.

"The personnel of the crew will include the U. S. S. recruit band of the New York training ship, a baseball team and motion picture outfits. The ships will carry Y guns and depth charges and every detail of anti-submarine equipment will be shown.

"Lieut. Commander T. C. Herrien will be in command of the flotilla." Hickman is especially favored in the matter of deep water for displaying and exhibiting the maneuvers of the submarine. Only one other town, we are told by the U. S. River Survey, has as deep water and that is Caruthersville, Mo. Here we have a depth of about 150 feet. The channel is also comparatively narrow at this point which will bring the "show" closer to the audience.

No date has been announced at this time for the flotilla to arrive here.

NOTED MAN COMING

John R. Pepper, Merchant-Banker-Broster, Will be here Sunday.

Hon. John R. Pepper, of Memphis, merchant-banker-broster-broster, will be the guest of Hickman next Sunday and will deliver an address at the First Methodist church Sunday night in the interest of the Centenary movement, being a member of the Joint Centenary Committee. He is one of the South's leading business men and you should not fail to hear him.

A SPRING SENSATION.

A Kodak loaded up one day
And took a shot at me.
It didn't frighten me a bit—
'Twas a snap shot don't you see.
—HELM & ELLISON.

FREAK STYLE FOR MEN.

From a fashion journal we clip this item of interest to those of masculine persuasion:

"Freak styles will be all the rage. There will be belts, cuffs, weird designs—Oh, these fall suits are rakish, believe me. Prices? No drop in suits, but also no advance."

Ladies—bless them—fall for all kinds of tomfoolery, fads and fashions, but it remains to be seen whether men will obey the edicts of clothes designers by adopting any "weird designs."

Deck Porter, of Clinton, was here Tuesday. He came via Moscow and tells us that the roads in Moscow are the roughest ever.

Joe Ridley, one of Hickman's soldier boys in France, is expected home about the 15th of this month.

Horace Roper, wife and baby are expected home this week from Los Angeles, Cal.

SNOW FRIDAY.

Slight Snow-fall Here Friday Morning. Unusual Occurrence.

If there was any doubt Friday as to "blackberry winter" being on, all speculation was laid to rest when snowflakes came dancing down in a chilling atmosphere a half hour or more, and softly settling on the tender vegetation. The snow was accompanied by a fine mist and a biting north wind.

Snow at this season in Hickman Kentucky is indeed unusual, rare. A small frost was also in evidence Saturday morning. Fortunately, we are told, little or no damage resulted from the "winter day in April."

CHARGED WITH MURDER.

Dr. B. L. Bradley, practicing physician of Paducah, was arrested on a technical charge of murder, preferred by city and county officials growing out of an alleged illegal operation.

Norman McKinley and his wife, Lillie, proprietors of the Cottage Inn, a rooming house, were also arrested on the same charge. Dr. Bradley was released on execution of \$1,000 bond. The McKinleys are in the county jail, and Eudice Brown, 17, of Paris, Tenn., is under detention at the city hospital.

Sergs. Jim D. Pickett, of Hickman, in company with Gus Meacham, of Fulton, landed at Newport News, Va., Sunday on their return from France and expect to get home right away. Sergt. Pickett is a son of J. D. Pickett, and was attached to Evacuation Hospital No. 2, being a member of the Medical Corps, and a volunteer.

Join the broom and rake brigade in Hickman today and tomorrow. Let's clean up.

THIS BEAUTIFUL HOME FOR SALE.



This is a modern residence; has city water and light, 9 large rooms, well located, six large lots, young orchard, garage, smoke-house, hen-house, cow-barn, good garden, no city taxes to pay. Will sell at a bargain, or exchange for farm property. See Alex or Faris Naifeh.

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(When the attention of the Hickman Courier is called to any misstatement of fact or to any error concerning any man or thing, correction will cheerfully be made.)

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1st and 2nd Zones:	
One Year	\$1.50
Six Months	.80
Three Months	.40
3rd, 4th, 5th Zones:	
One Year	\$1.75
Six Months	.90
Three Months	.45

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

We are authorized to announce the following candidates, subject to the action of the Democratic primary election August 2, 1919:

For Representative

OTE PIPER
(Re-election)

For Senator
JUDGE B. T. DAVIS

NO MORE BEER.

Manufacture of Sins Must Stop Today,
Under Conservation Act.

Brewing of beer will stop today, under the food conservation act of November 21, 1918. This prohibition will affect all beer, including that now being produced by many manufacturers, containing 2 1/2 per cent alcohol, for which the internal revenue authorities now issue revenue stamps without having decided specially whether this production violates the existing laws and regulations.

Internal Revenue Commissioner Roper yesterday would not discuss the tangled status of beer production and consequently the statement that production of all malt liquors would stop on May 1 was not regarded as final.

BISHOP E. E. HOSS.

The whole south has suffered an irreparable loss in the death of Bishop Endree E. Hoss of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South. This distinguished churchman, educator and editor passed away at Muskogee Wednesday last, after a life crowded with good and useful deeds for his fellow man. He goes to his reward mourned by the whole southland, regardless of race, creed or any other ties. All persons of all shades of beliefs have been the beneficiaries of the inspiring leadership and unflinching devotion to truth and right living of the deceased.

Nothing too large or too small for me to build. Stucco bungalows a specialty.—W. J. Shaw.

Tom Dillon visited his son, J. T. Dillon and family at Nashville, Tenn., since our last issue.

GREASERS SORE.

U. S. Amendment to League Adopted
Without Mexico's Consent.

Failure of the allied powers to invite Mexico to participate in the conference of neutrals at Paris, has aroused President Carranza to bitter resentment, which has been intensified by the incorporation of recognition of the Venustiano Carranza in the covenant of the league of nations without consulting him with Mexico.

This was the explanation in well formed quarters of statements issued by the Mexican foreign office and announcing the withdrawal of the Mexican representative in France. It was indicated the developments were unexpected because Carranza has been awaiting an opportunity to get the reason that he had been made to secure recognition from either the French or the British government.

It was learned authoritatively that so far from according recognition the allied powers have made it clear to Mexico that the Carranza government is looked upon with suspicion because of its treatment of foreign investors and its attitude toward foreign nations.

COLDS AFFECT THE KIDNEYS

Many Hickman People Have Found
This to be True.

Are you writhed in bad weather? Does every cold settle in your kidneys? Does your back ache and become weak?

Are urinary passages irregular and distressing?

These symptoms are cause to suspect kidney weakness.

Weakness kidneys need quick help.

Donn's Kidney Pills are especially prepared for weakened kidneys.

Hickman people recommend them.

Mrs. Core Guthrie, 301 Broadway.

Hickman, says: "I used Donn's Kidney Pills when my kidneys were out of order and when my back ached."

The trouble, I think, was caused by catching cold and overworking about the house. When I was troubled in this way, Donn's Kidney Pills gave me quick relief. I know they are a good, reliable medicine and worthy of praise."

Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Donn's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Guthrie had. Foster-McMillan Co., Mfgs., Buffalo, N. Y.

POLITICAL NOTICE.

The Republicans of Fulton county are hereby ordered to meet at Hickman, Kentucky, at the court house, Saturday, May 10th, 1919, at one o'clock p. m., for the purpose of selecting delegates to attend the State Convention at Lexington, Ky., May 14, 1919.—R. B. Bantles, Chairman.

Miss Lucille Hendrix went to Nashville first of the week to visit Mrs. W. E. Lynch and to hear Gail Corel and Chruso sing.

Every farm home should have the Alamo lighting system. Alamo 2 on electric lights, fans, motors, etc. See me if interested.—W. J. Shaw.

THE BRAVEST MAN.

By G. N. Murphy, M. D., Paducah, Ky.

The bravest man I ever saw was William Boaz, commonly known as Bill Boaz, who was born and reared near the little town of Fulton, Ky.

I personally appeared, he was tall, slender, seemed in physique, with rather sharp features. Light complexion, long eyes and light hair. He wore a smart mustache and chin whiskers trimmed in precise style.

In his dress he was droll and wholly disconcerting prevailing conventionalities of dress. I think he really enjoyed being different from other people. He was not at all afraid to attend a fourth of July celebration wearing a winter overcoat and a heavy duster.

The last time I ever saw him he was old and bent, riding an old fashioned gray horse, garbed in a wool suit of clothes out of style and out of season. Indeed he looked the typical peasant.

I have been thus far particular in my description of his personal appearance, as I wish the reader to have, at least, a mental picture of the man of whom I shall have more to say.

In his life he was about the average man. He was slenderly educated, but possessed a fine sense of humor of the dry type order. He could relate an amusing story in a way that would convince his listeners and never once smile himself. He lived and died an old bachelor.

He was a Confederate soldier in the war between the States, serving in the 12th Ky. cavalry with Gen. N. B. Forrest. A more gallant soldier never fought beneath the stars and bars of the Bonnie Blue Flag. His dying request was that he should be buried by the old Confederate soldiers of his neighborhood. This request was complied with.

He used to ride an old mule that had more bumps and corners on him than a dromedary and was as slow as a snail.

One day he was riding his old mule to town when he chanced to meet a stranger who seemed to be in a great hurry. The stranger halted a moment and asked Mr. Boaz if he had "passed" a man in the road driving a gray horse to a top buggy. With a quizzical smile on his face he replied: "My friend, I do not believe you mean what you say." Then after a few moments pause, so he could enjoy the stranger's perplexity he resumed and said, "I expect I must have passed him somewhere along this road, but I never pass anybody on this mule." Then he answered the man's question by stating that he had met a gentleman driving a gray horse about half a mile from that point.

I once related this story to the great Evangelist, Sam Jones, and was surprised to hear him repeat it the following day in a sermon, and made it point a good moral. Mr. Jones said that there were a great many people who thought they were going to heaven that were riding show mules, when in reality they were going in the opposite direction. He warmly admonished all such "starkers" to turn around and get a move on themselves and gallop with the gang and try to pass somebody.

Mr. Jones absorbed knowledge from all sources that surrounded him and then turned to a good account, that which seemed worth while.

The sheriff of Mr. Boaz's county once summoned Mr. Boaz, with a dozen others, to arrest a desperado whose name was Pierce, who had stolen a beef and butchered it. It was winter time and the ground was covered with snow. The theft was soon detected and was tracked to its proper source.

When the sheriff and his posse drove near the home of Pierce it was twelve o'clock at night. Mr. Boaz, addressing the sheriff and his men, said: "You all know that Pierce is a desperate character and in all probability will resist arrest and fight to his death. You are all young men some of whom have families, with most of life yet before you, therefore, it would be a great pity for any of you to be killed by Pierce. I am old and worn out and if I should get killed it would make no difference whatever. I would be no loss to the world. I wish to suggest that the rest of you surround the house, so as to prevent the possible escape of this man should he attempt such a thing, and I will go in the house and arrest him or die in the attempt."

This suggestion was readily agreed to and the house being duly surrounded, Mr. Boaz, with pistol in hand, went to the front door and knocked for admittance. Pierce who had gone to bed inquired, "who is there?" The answer was "Bill Boaz." "Come in, Bill," said Pierce, and at the same moment sprang from the bed, with pistol in hand and fell prone upon the floor.

Mr. Boaz opened the door and stepped within the room, which was dark. Two pistol shots rang out in quick succession upon the cold and cheerless midnight air that sent a thrill of horror through every heart outside the house. An awful tragedy had occurred and a human soul had whirled its way into eternity. The first shot was fired at the form of his unwelcome midnight caller. The ball from his pistol passed through Mr. Boaz's hat and entered the door facing. The second shot came from Mr. Boaz's pistol whose whose aim had been good. The way through Pierce's prostrate body, killing him instantly.

For true courage and pure unselfishness, I have never known anything to transcend that midnight tragedy upon the part of William Boaz. "Greater love hath no man than this, that he will lay down his life for another." Mr. Boaz's genuine love for his fellow men never deserted him.

In the sinking of the Titanic and Lusitania, we read of brave men facing death courageously, among whom may be mentioned Strauss, Engen, Helm, Astor, Butt, Frohman, Farrell and Hubbard. All of these men were known to the civilized world for their respective business and literary abilities, and accepted bravely the awful fate thrust upon them, as all brave do the inevitable.

But William Boaz, unknown to fortune and to fame, of his own volition, unsolicited, chose to offer his own life upon the altar of fate in order to shield his friends from possible death. With all his obscurity and poverty, he stands in the hearts of all who knew him, the peer of any one who went down on the Titanic or Lusitania.

Let it be mine to place on record the name of William Boaz as one of the bravest and most unselfish men that ever graced any sphere of life. He died as he had lived, without religious creed or pretensions, at the age of

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three score and fifteen years. His grave is in a country church yard, unmarked by marble slab or shaft over which none but wild flowers will ever blossom.

Let us all hope and pray, too, that in the final day of judgment their unselfishness and nobility of soul may plead well his excuse before the great God of mercy and love that knoweth the hearts of all men.

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GOOD SHOW.

"Hoodoo" by High School Plays to Crowded House.

"The Hoodoo" a three-act play, was given at the Court House last Friday night by the High School pupils, for the benefit of the High School Auditorium. Mrs. Ella Dodson was the director of the play, and when it is considered that only seven rehearsals were had, it speaks volumes for her ability in that line, and also for the talent of the players. The play was a good one, well played and staged, and highly enjoyable to the large crowd present. The receipts were around \$150, which will be added to the building fund for the auditorium.

The following took part in the play: Prof. J. D. Miller, Miss Anita Dodds, Richard Prather, Raymond Clark, Earl East, John Lyle Shaw, Misses Theda Barnes, Nancy Munn, Mary Hardy, Ligon, Lois Chasle, from Thompson, Dorothy Naylor, Christine Smotherman, Oona Shaw, Nina Isbell, Cyril Peck, Bessie Jean Douglass, Betty Louise Crelin, Frances Rice, Calista Johnson, and Ray Handy and Richard Goulder.

Hickman may yet have the honor of producing a Delasse, a Southern or a Marlowe.

Grove's Tasteless chill Tonic
restores vitality and energy by purifying and enriching the blood. You can soon feel its strengthening, invigorating effect. Price 50c.

2nd Hand Cars: I have a Ford Runabout, a Ford 5-passenger, a Ford truck and a 4-passenger Overland. Will sell any of these at a big bargain for cash.—C. E. Mooney.

Homer Reed, of Lewisport, Ky., spent a few days last week with his cousin Mrs. C. T. Bondurant and Miss Frank Reed.

Edison Writer Tells About Films That Actually Talk— Latest Edison Invention

Thomas Alva Edison, in his wonderful new invention, has given us pictures that not only move but talk, relates a London correspondent. The kinephone and the phonograph, and its effects are wonderfully realistic. The machine is so constructed that the sounds of the voices of the actors in the picture drama are reproduced in the most natural way. When figures appear to be walking toward the front of the stage their voices get louder as they get nearer to the audience, and softer as they retreat. When a plate is smashed the noise of broken crockery is distinctly heard. The notes of the piano or violin are reproduced when the actor plays on one of these instruments, the expression and time being clearly marked. Whistling, singing, opening and shutting doors, etc., are all heard.

Talking pictures are also to be seen in a similar invention, the kineplastikon. The effects here are most wonderful. Dancers come from the wings, perform and sing, and retire to the wings again, and after applause come and bow their acknowledgments to the audience in the most natural manner. What is more, the stage is not in darkness, as in the case of ordinary lioscope pictures, but is perfectly light, and there is no screen. The illusion of living people singing and dancing as in a real theater is thus almost complete, for the figures do almost everything that a living artist can do.

Scarcity of Scythes.

Before the war Russia's need of scythes was estimated at 6,000,000 annually, of which about half were required in Siberia. To fill these requirements about 4,000,000 scythes were imported annually and the remainder manufactured in Russia. According to latest information there are hardly any scythes to be found, Russian industry being at a standstill and the importation closed.

A SPRING SENSATION.

A Kodak loaded up one day
And took a shot at me.
It didn't frighten me a bit—
'Twas a snap shot don't you see.
—HELM & ELLISON.

Good Time to Be Naughty.

Benjamin was naughty and his mother said that if he was naughty again he would have to go to bed. "Next time I am naughty I hope it will be in the night time, then I won't care if I have to go to bed."

SATURDAY BIG DAY.

Thousands Here: Volunteers Buy Quota Bonds in One Day. War Tank Interesting Attraction.

Thousands of people gathered in Hickman Saturday to see the U. S. war tank and to participate in the big volunteer Victory Liberty Loan drive.

At 7 o'clock Saturday morning, the west end of Fulton county had not bought a bond, at 7 o'clock the same evening, every bond of our quota had been sold to volunteers, with an over subscription of approximately \$14,000. As a matter of fact, the quota was absorbed by 1 o'clock, and the local Sales Director, W. A. (Hardware) Johnston, not only received hearty congratulations upon the success of his plan and the efforts of his co-workers, but was carried on the shoulders of the crowd to a stand, where he thanked "those who made it possible." He believed a progressive lot of people like we have in Hickman and surrounding territory would not want to drag the bond sales over a couple of weeks when we could "finish the job" in one day.

The day was a propitious one; the crowd good humored, and all went merrily, even the task of buying our portion of the county's allotment of \$251,200 worth of bonds.

The tank party, which arrived early Saturday morning, were good boosters and helped to arouse the enthusiasm which put us over the top. This steel fortification moving along in caterpillar style, at about 10 miles an hour was driven up near the sales booth and put on exhibition. It also served the purpose of a speakers' stand from which interesting talks in behalf of the loan were delivered by two members of the tank crew—Lieut. E. R. Barn and Private E. W. Lawrence of the 1st Gas Regiment. They were followed by local speakers—Judge B. T. Davis, County Attorney Dec. I. McNeill, Capt. H. E. Prather, Judge F. S. Moore.

The subscription booth was "manned" by ladies from the various school districts west of the M. & O. Ry., and practically each district took its quota. There was a manifest spirit of co-operation among all workers and enthusiasm on the part of the buyers. "The success of this day should serve as an example for all future undertakings of a similar nature." Its just time to do a big job in short order where there is a live bunch like we had in Hickman Saturday.

Strayed: Sorrel Shetland pony; shaven mane. Liberal reward. H. C. Shaw.



HERE'S no need of speculation when you buy shoes—you can be absolutely certain of reliable quality whenever you select a pair bearing the name "Florsheim."

You can take their quality for granted; you can tell at a glance they are stylish; you can see they are unusual shoes.

Our showing contains the season's correct styles in various leathers.

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"A SAFE PLACE TO TRADE."

Mrs. J. M. Henderson will leave last of the week for an extended visit with relatives and friends at Clinton, Columbus, and points in Tennessee. She expects to be gone about three months.

For Rent: Entire shed or space in first lumber shed east of my office.—W. A. Dodds.

If you like coffee—get the best. Chase & Sanborn's is as good as ever, name to Hickman. Try it.—Bondurant Bros.

Ed Knight and wife of Martin, Tenn., and Harris Brock, of Greenfield, Tenn., motored over and spent Saturday and Sunday with Miss Lola Brock.

Today and Tomorrow, May 1-2, Are Clean-Up Days

Clean Up Paint Up

Did you know it takes just as long to apply **CHEAP** as it does **GOOD PAINT**.

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Sherwin-Williams Paints

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OUR LAWN MOWERS

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Solo Organist at all of the Largest Expositions in the United States; also played before many of the Crown Heads of Europe. This will be the greatest musical treat ever offered the people of Union City and Neighboring Towns. He comes to make final test of the \$6000.00, Three Manual Organ purchased by the Woman's Missionary Society of the M. E. Church.

Union City, Three Recitals, May 8th and 9th, 8:30 P. M. Sunday, May 11th, At 3:00 P. M.

A Free Will Offering will be taken at each Recital to defray expenses. Thos. A. Edison has made it possible to re-create the human voice with his wonderful Diamond Disc Phonograph. If you want one in your home, so you can bring the great artists into your home we can make it possible. Come to the recital; and if interested in a Real Phonograph all in a class to itself, write, Telephone or Call on **CHAS. DIETZEL, Edison Dealer, Union City, Tenn.**

CAPTURED BY HUNS.

Only Hickman Boy Captured by Huns Returns Home.

Claude Jackson returned yesterday from Camp Taylor, having received his discharge from the army. He was captured by the Germans in July and remained a prisoner until the 7th of December, when he was one of 5000 released from prison. He was in an outpost just behind the front line trenches, which were held by the French. The Germans attacked after a barrage of gas and high explosive shells, driving the French back and surrounding the outpost after their ammunition had become exhausted. Jackson looks well after his experiences, which included food composed of black bread and soup, which he said had to be washed before eating it. He was a member of the 42nd division when captured, but attached to the 91st for return home. It might also be added that Claude was reported dead and memorial services held here for him.

REVIVAL TO BEGIN.

The revival meeting for the West Hickman Methodist Church is to begin next Sunday evening the pastor to be assisted by Rev. J. E. Underwood of the Atwood charge in the Paris, Mo. circuit.

Rev. Underwood is a young minister who is thoroughly conversant to his work in the Master's vineyard. His revival and evangelistic efforts have been crowned with success. He is a splendid preacher, and a very high type of Christian gentleman. The people of West Hickman are assured a treat in having Rev. Underwood with them. Let everybody enter into the meeting prayerfully, that we may have a great gathering.—P. D. T. Roberts.

Lots of rain. Fresh sausage Tuesday and Friday. —Bettaworth. Men, see our shirt window before you buy. It will pay you.—Sullivan Bros. Mrs. W. D. Powell, formerly an old resident of Hickman, is critically ill in her home in Lakewood, Fla., and is not expected to live.

TO BUILD AT ONCE.

Raincoat Factory Site is Purchased. Located in East Hickman. To Erect Three Buildings.

Hickman's new \$50,000 corporation, the Curline Raincoat Company, which will manufacture waterproof garments, has purchased a factory site in East Hickman, just east of the old cotton gin site and across the N. E. & St. L. railroad in Park Addition. The purchasing and building committee is composed of Dr. J. M. Hubbard, Dr. C. W. Curline, Mayor A. O. Caruthers and Supt. Bruce Powell. The lot is 250x300 feet. On this three buildings will be erected: two 2-story factory buildings, about 24x70 feet, and a smaller one-story building to be used for water-proofing. The buildings will probably be iron-clad and have a total of something like 8000 square feet.

Machinery—including sewing machines, button machines, button-hole machines, power cutters, etc.—have been ordered and will be here ere the buildings are complete, which will be some thirty days hence, as work on the structures will start at once. The management hopes to begin operations between June 1-15.

The factory capacity to start with will be 24 dozen raincoats daily, but will be increased as the business grows. For the benefit of the layman, it might be stated that 24 dozen a day capacity means products worth \$1000; or the factory for the first year will produce \$24000 a month of outside capital, besides furnishing employment to Hickman labor.

It looks like the new factory is not only going to prove a fine investment for the stockholders, but a big thing for the town. It is a known fact that the factories now producing goods under the Curline formula are unable to supply the demand. The Hickman factory will be able to turn out as good or better garments than other factories and, in addition, has the advantage of the new patents which will give its products additional selling qualities, if such were needed.

Supt. O. R. Powell says work will begin next week on the new buildings.

ROPER DISTRICT NEWS.

Dr. D. Y. Thomas of the University of Arkansas, Fayetteville, Ark., visited his brother J. P. Thomas and his sister, Mrs. J. J. Seng, Thursday of last week. He was enroute to Nashville on a business trip.—Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Fields of Hickman, spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mrs. Fields' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Crockett. W. H. Treas went to Metropolis, Ill., last Wednesday to visit his sister Mrs. Sarah Clark who has been in bad health for several months. He returned home Friday.—Mr. and Mrs. Horace Roper and children arrived Tuesday from California and are visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. Albert Roper.—Richard Bransford and Johnnie Treas spent Saturday night and Sunday with their aunt, Mrs. Walter Crockett.—Clyde Fields and Lennie Roper spent Saturday night and Sunday in Hickman with their cousin Joe Roper.—Mr. and Mrs. Bob Johnson and daughter of Cayce, visited Mrs. Johnson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Roper Tuesday night.—Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Treas and son, Naylor, visited Mrs. Walter Crockett Sunday.—Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Scott and son were in Fulton Saturday afternoon.—Miss Eula Clark and Richard Lemoine, of Union City, visited Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Clark Sunday.—Most everyone around here went to Hickman Saturday to see the war tank.—Misses Opal Bryant and Hazel Fields were in Cayce Tuesday afternoon.—Misses Lucile Roper and Mozelle Humby of Hickman, visited Misses Effie Fields and Laverne Roper Sunday afternoon.

Wasted Time.

School hours are business hours. The manufacturer or merchant cannot afford to waste time in business hours; the future manufacturer or merchant cannot afford to waste time in school hours. This is why we have the demand for vocational education.—Montreal Star.

Too Familiar.

"Your face is certainly familiar," said the girl as she wiped a stolen kiss from her ruby lips.—Boston Transcript.

QUARTERLY COURT.

Following are Cases of Interest Tried Since Last Report.

Ittle Herring, of Fulton, fined \$5 for violating motor law. His car ran into S. T. Roper's car here Sunday before last.

Ozell Jones, charged with forgery, placed under \$200 bond for appearance in circuit court. Alleged to have forged the name of H. W. Stafford to a check drawn on the Farmers & Merchants Bank of Hickman.

Melvin Evans, Charlie Crafton and Fred Parker, charged with "boonfellowing and handling together for the purpose of disturbing and frightening a negro family," on Island No. 8. Released on recognizance bond of \$100 each.

Sadie Walker, negro woman, age 39, adjudged of unsound mind and sent to Hopkinsville for treatment.

Mayne E. Myrick, age 38, also ordered to Hopkinsville for treatment. The subject had a mania for nailing up the dresser drawers, etc. She was 25 years old.

Bob McManikin, ordered to Hopkinsville. His hallucinations included an idea that the Lord was "mad at him," etc.

War Boosted Our Wealth

America's Greatest Danger Now Is Pride, a Writer Says

Uncle Sam has become the world's greatest captain of industry. Here are the figures, according to a writer in Omaha News:

We have 6 per cent of the world's population.

We own 7 per cent of the world's land.

But we produce 70 per cent of the world's copper.

We produce 66 per cent of the world's oil.

We raise 60 per cent of all cotton raised.

We produce 33 per cent of the world's silver.

We dig 52 per cent of all coal used.

We mine 9 per cent of iron ores and 20 per cent of the world's gold.

We manufacture 85 per cent of all motorcars manufactured, and operate 40 per cent of the world's railroads.

We grow 25 per cent of the world's wheat.

Before the war England was, on the surface, the richest nation in the world. At that time the United States owed \$4,000,000,000 to Europe.

Now Europe owes the United States \$10,000,000,000.

In two years we shall have passed England as a shipbuilder.

All we have to do to go to the wall is to become a junker nation, with no other than material ambitions. He whom the gods would destroy they first make mad.

But let's not do that. Let's be sensible and decent and thankful that we are so fortunately situated. And let's try to make the best use of our combined wealth so that everybody will be prosperous and educated and comfortable and happy.

TO A FLOCK OF GEESE

Ye wild, free troopers of the skies That ride in wooded ranks the blue and unmarked roads of Paradise. Who else but God had tutored you That wind beset and tempest form, To buffet you with mighty sledge, Ye still sweep onward through the storm With that unbroken wedge?

Thrill me again, ye scurried host, With that shrill challenge which deges The strength of whatsoever post Is set to guard the bending skies Against such rangers as ye are That dare with swift and rhythmic wings

The night unlighted of a star To guide God's feathered things.

Ye are the joy of being wild, The sign and symbol of a blest Estate so sweet and undefiled It breathes its spirit undistressed Adown the heights to which have soared Since Eden was our deepest slights— Thrill me again, ye clamant herds, With your wind-ringing cries.

—Clark McAdams.

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MEMBERS FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

You are notified that Important Business will come before the church next Sunday

MAY 4th, AT 11 A. M.

You are all urged to attend.

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Makes a Specialty of Testing Eyes and Fitting Glasses...

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Clean up. This is May Day. Have you started cleaning up? Compare our \$2.00 Shirts with the other fellows' and see for yourself.—Sullivan Bros.

J. J. Rowe, a former restaurant man of this city, but now located in Union City, is in town today.

Chas. Castner, who has been with the Meigs Box Co. for several weeks, has returned to Louisville.

Every farm home should have the Almo lighting system. Gives you electric lights, fans, motors, etc. See me if interested.—W. J. Shaw.

Judge Stair and wife, Misses Mildred Ramage and Mattie Mui Seny went to Nashville Tuesday to attend the Curris and Gall-Curel recital.

Tom Dillon, Sr., has returned home from a visit with his son, J. T. Dillon, at Nashville.

Boys, we have a few more waist line suits \$10.00 and \$12.00.—Sullivan Bros.

For Sale: About 25 bushels Bulk cotton seed.—C. S. Patterson, 1p

Buy a pair pin check pants, \$1.75 at Sullivan Bros.

MARRIAGES.

The Following Licenses Have Been Issued by County Clerk Henry.

Ernest Hlee, age 24, son of Hedge Hlee, farmer; and Miss Clara Enrich, 22, daughter of Lewis Enrich. Married at Clinton.

Rudy Walrod, 21, son of Z. T. Walrod, farmer; and Miss Iona Pear, 20, daughter of I. L. Pear. Married at Fulton.

J. E. Johnson, 37, son of M. T. Johnson, laborer; and Mrs. Clara Shadwick, 22, daughter of W. T. Roberts. Married at Hickman.

Harry H. Henderson, 26, son of Jas. Henderson, printer; and Miss Della V. Bullock, 24, daughter of Tom Bullock. Married at Hickman and reside at Clinton.

W. L. Walker, 46, and Mrs. Minnie Craig, 22, daughter of Jordan Stoker, of Mississippi county, Mo. Married in Hickman.

COLORS.

George Lee Harris, 22, and Dora Lee Harrison, 23, of State Line.

Dave Lowery, 20, and Edna Mitchell, 18, of this county.

Sam Wallace, 25, and Mary Brown, 21, of Hickman.

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Dunlop Oxfords for men, calf-skin, Vici Kids, black and Coco, \$6.50 to \$10.00
Silk Shirts, \$6.00 to \$7.50
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Best line Shirts in the country, prices \$1.50 to \$2.00
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All Welcome. Come in.

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MEN'S COMPLETE OUTFITTER

"Watch Your Feet"

Frank Berles and Austin Voorhes were in Fulton Tuesday evening, attending a meeting of Royal Arch Masons. The Grand High Priest of the state, S. S. Pinney, was a guest of the Fulton Chapter on this occasion.

Men's heavy blue work shirts, the best at \$1.00.—Sullivan Bros.

Earl Johnson, son of Geo. Johnson, has returned from France.

L. P. Ellison and L. H. Kilpatrick drove up Tuesday in their Ford car from Memphis, and are guests of Hickman relatives. They left Memphis at 6 in the morning and arrived here at 6 that evening.

Judge F. S. Moore looked after legal business in Paducah yesterday.

A cotton Palm Beach suit, \$1.75 at Sullivan Bros.

REID BROS.

..WEEKLY STORE NEWS..

Fruits for the Week

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Graham Flour, four pound packages, 40c

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Effective today, and in compliance with an order from Postmaster General Burleson, telephone rates throughout the country take a jump sky-ward. As a result Hickmanites will contribute about \$1,000 a year more to the Cumberland Co. alone. Only a short time ago, toll rates went up, now phones in business houses and residences will come higher.

The old Hickman rate to business houses was \$2.75 a month; the new rate is \$3.00. Old residence rate \$1.65, new rate \$2.00. Old two-party line rate was \$1.40 and goes to \$1.50. Five-party line rate just named, which means outside the city, business, \$2.00; residence \$1.25.

We have before us eleven typewritten pages of camouflage argument setting forth the reasons for this advance— which we take with a big pinch of salt. For instance "more than 50 cents of every dollar now goes for wages—either direct rates or taxes, the only remedy." Just fancy a corresponding advance in wages for the Hickman force and picture yourself paying direct taxes to support telephone companies. Burley, old boy, you got our Nanny. When it comes to reaching in to the citizen's pocketbook and passing the long green over—you are without a peer. The attitude of the public reminds us of the fool who hired a man to rob him. The sooner the government can turn loose of the railway and wire systems—the better for the people.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and for years it was supposed to be incurable. Doctors prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Medicine, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is a constitutional remedy, is taken internally and acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system. One Hundred Dollars reward is offered for any case that Hall's Catarrh Medicine fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by Druggists, etc. Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

MRS. S. L. ROYSTER ENTERTAINS.

Last Thursday, April 26th, the ladies of the Aid Society of the First Baptist church, enjoyed a pleasant treat in a social way at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Royster four ladies from town. Once a year Mrs. Royster arranges for the ladies of the Society to spend the day with her and the occasion is looked forward to with pleasure by all the members of the Society. Each member had taken a piece of work for the benefit of the Society and by ten o'clock a good representation had assembled and were busy with their needles and enjoying the social conversation. At noon the guests were invited to the dining room where the business had prepared a beautiful dinner. The table was literally loaded from one end to the other with good things to eat. After dinner the ladies assembled in the parlor and transacted such business as came before the Society. When the guests departed it was the universal verdict that it was an unusually pleasant affair and long to be remembered by those present. The ladies present were: Mesdames Julian Choate, Laura Burnett, S. B. Barrios, Mary Shaw, Edna Shaw, Lucy Bondurant, Henry McMullen, E. C. Rice, Ed Prather, Molly Threlkeld, F. M. Maddox, J. W. Roney, J. C. Ellison, W. M. Shaw, and Mesdames Royster and Alley. Of Fulton, and Misses Lulu Shaw and Berlie Mal Rice. Rev. H. M. Crain and Mr. Julian Choate were the guests of Mr. Royster. The ladies and their friends who were present are under lasting obligations to their host and hostess for a most enjoyable day.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH.

It is very important that every department of the church should have a report of the conditions of the work and the progress accomplished so that the members may know how the work is succeeding. Next Sunday morning the regular business conference will be held after the morning service. The morning subject will be "Americanism and Baptist Teachings." The evening subject will be "The Prayers of David Answered." Services at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sunday school at 10 a. m.—H. M. Crain, Pastor.

On account of the cloud of dust continually in the air on Clinton street, some action should be taken toward oiling or paving it. Either of these can be done without cost to the city. Individuals will foot the bill for oiling if some one will start it; or, the city fathers can order the street paved and assess the cost to the property owners. It was figured out a few years ago that this street, being narrow, could be converted for the price of one season's sprinkling. War restrictions have been removed and there is no excuse now for the main street of any town being in such condition. We need to wake up and get on the job. If the city is broke and can't do anything, let individuals put their shoulders to the wheel and start something.

As bad as we need hitch-racks in Hickman, the chain rack east of the Courier office has laid on the ground a year or more, for lack of setting up a post or two. Why not have a little work or money out of the fellow who owes Hickman \$1000 in fines assessed last year but never collected. If they are physically unfit for labor, or all-in financially—what about their bonds-men? No excuse for this kind of business. The city could use either labor or money to a good advantage just now.

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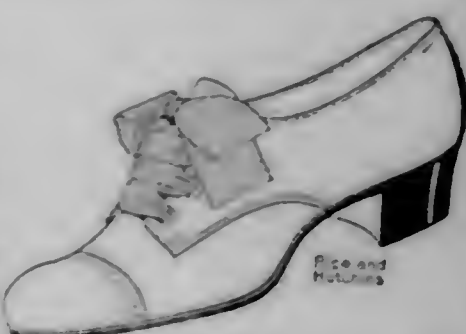
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Men's Seamless Hose in Black, White, Pear, Navy and Brown, special a pair, 20c

WHITE GOODS

White and Solid Color Voiles, all new shades, Special, a Yard, 50c

Organdie in the New Shades and White, a Yard, 50c

36 inch Middy Cloth, 50 cent values, a Yard, 40c

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Walter Luten has been elected as a member of the Board of Directors of the Farmers & Merchants Bank, taking the place of the late J. J. C. Bondurant. Mr. Luten is a good fellow to have on any kind of board, and the bank has made no mistake in his selection.

Men's shirts 55c and up, at Sullivan Bros.

Misses Helen and Emma Tyler and T. M. French, who are now in California, plan to leave about the first of next month on a trip to Japan, China, the Philippine Islands and Hawaiian Islands, following which they will return to Hickman.

Walter Davis, an old Hickman boy, but who volunteered in St. Louis, is expected home from France this week.

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Shop at home, we need your business. And our prices are in line. Goods are fresh, we guarantee them. Call and see us any time.

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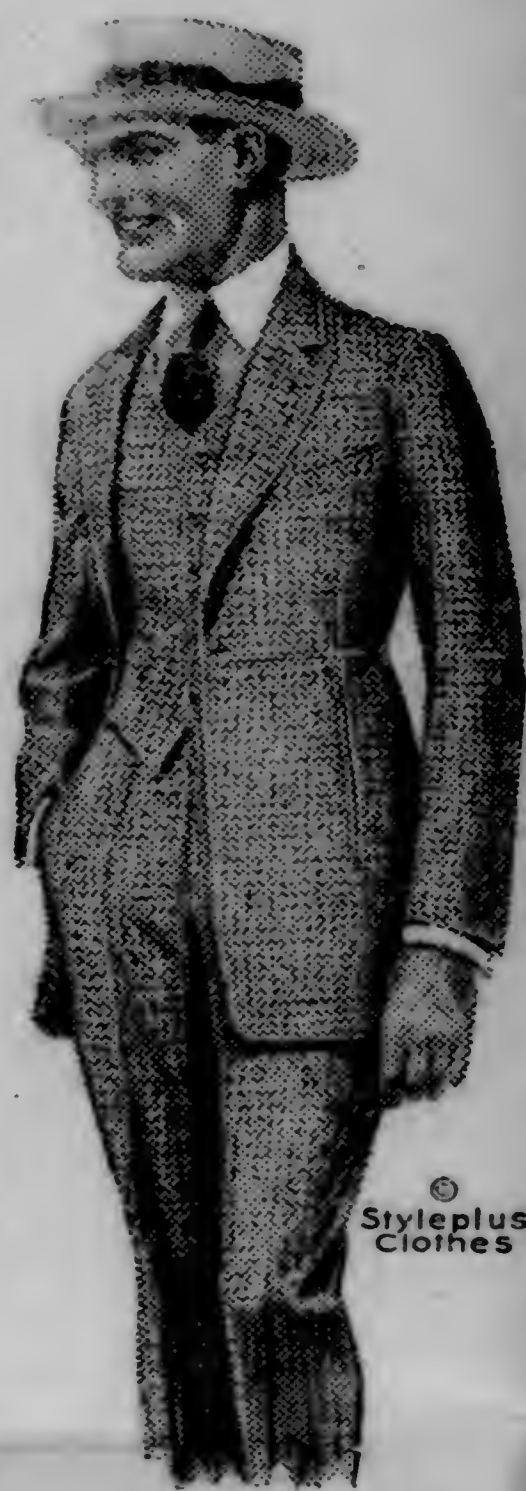
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BROKE IN STORE.

Negro Turns Over Stolen Goods Taken From Wholesale Grocery.

Trying to convert a box of chewing tobacco into cash at the store of Will Rounton, in East Hickman, led to the arrest of a negro Tuesday morning, charged for breaking into the Barrett Wholesale Grocery last Friday night. When the negro offered Mr. Rounton a bargain in a box of well known chewing tobacco, Rounton became suspicious and phoned Officers Handy and Wall. They told him to hold the negro, which he did. The black at first denied stealing the tobacco, but later acknowledged that he and another Memphis negro had entered the wholesale establishment through a window and had taken a number of articles, including chewing gum, cigarettes, tobacco, etc.; that they divided the spoils and the other negro started toward Memphis. He also told the officers he had a portion of his loot hidden under Clinton's scales in West Hickman, and this was found and recovered. He claims to have come to Hickman from Memphis for the purpose of trying to join the "Georgia Smart Set Minstrels" when they were here but failed to get on.

The stolen goods were valued at more than \$50 and the negro was placed in jail on charge of grand larceny, and will await the action of the grand jury, which convenes here next week.

CAYCE NEWS.

Interesting Items by the Courier's Special Correspondent.

Mrs. Ruth Closs spent Wednesday with Mrs. Johnnie Crone—Miss Gladys Phetley returned to her home after a pleasant visit to Mrs. Joe Allen—Mrs. Jim Boone Inman and Miss Corinne Barnett spent Wednesday with Mrs. Charles Bondurant. Mr. and Mrs. Willie Milner are visiting relatives in Fulton—Lizzie Mui Corning spent Tuesday night with Mrs. Nora Naylor—Mrs. J. S. Barkett and children visited her husband a few days this week returning Sunday to her home in Cairo—Mrs. Joe White spent Friday with Mrs. Berudee White and attended the play—Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Barrus, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Thomas spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Johnson—Ben Brown and Al Crone are home, having gotten their discharge from the army—Miss Bertha Johnson of Union City spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Johnson—Allie B. Closs spent the week end with J. C. Sledge—Mr. and Mrs. Will Closs, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Allen spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Sloan and enjoyed the birthday dinner which was given in his honor—Horace Roper and wife came Tuesday from California. They have decided Kentucky is good enough for them and will make their home here—Mrs. Tabernice Crone visited Mr. Joe Adair and family—A large crowd from Cairo went to Hickman Saturday to see the war tank, also a large crowd went to Clinton Sunday, for the same purpose—Burford Campbell is home on a furlough. His mother gave him a dinner Sunday, at which 30 people were present—Mr. and Mrs. Willie Milner spent Saturday night with her mother Mrs. Hardy, and attended church at Liberty Sunday—Mrs. Della Soy and daughter, Miss Virginia, visited the former's sisters, Misses Allie and Annie Thomas Wednesday—Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Wade visited Rev. and Mrs. Holly Monday afternoon—Miss Ollie Richardson spent Wednesday night with Mrs. Berudee White—Mary Elizabeth White has recovered from an attack of mumps—Dr. D. Y. Thomas of Fayetteville, Ark., visited Misses Allie and Annie Thomas Wednesday night of last week. He formerly lived in Fulton county and it was a pleasure for him to visit the old home—J. B. Varden and family visited friends in the Walnut Grove community, south from Fulton, Saturday and Sunday—Oris Leet visited his nunts, the Misses Thomas, Sunday—Mesdames Nulling and Mitchell and Miss Mary Atteberry were shopping in Union City Monday afternoon—Mrs. Berudee White visited the family of Mr. Tom White Monday—Master Hendon Wright spent Saturday night with his aunt, Mrs. Albert Lawson—Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Davis and son, King, visited Miss Nannie Lutten Sunday afternoon—Melba Holly spent Saturday night in the Liberty neighborhood, the guest of Mrs. Mable Oliver—Mr. and Mrs. Joe Allen motored over to Union City Wednesday.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

Let us make next Sunday "High water mark" in the Bible school and have the greatest attendance we have ever had. We now have thirteen classes and will have two more soon. We must not stay on that "12" too long. There are not only hundreds, but thousands of people in Hickman who should be found in the various schools of the city next Sunday morning who do not attend. May all make a special effort to worship God and study His Word next Lord's day, beginning at 9:45. At 10:15 we will observe the Lord's Supper as usual, after which the morning service will be turned over to Bro. J. S. Hilton, Secretary and Treasurer of the Christian Church Women's and Orphan's Home, of Louisville. He will have with him two orphans, twin girls eleven years old, who will take a part on the program. You will delight in their scriptures and songs. You will be happy to see what this man and his helpers are doing for these unfortunate children. Come and hear the strange and almost marvelous stories of these boys and girls.—E. L. Milley, Pastor.

A LIVELY FOUNTAIN.

Our times are sour, our sundries nitty. Our sodas acting queer; 'Tis nothing new, they always do At this time of the year.

—HELM & ELLISON.

Men's athletic underwear, 65c to \$2.00, at Sullivan Bros.

When do we empty the garbage cans again?

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Don't hurt a bit! Drop a little Frezzone on an aching corn. Instantly that corn stops hurting, then you lift it right out. Yes, magic! A tiny bottle of Frezzone costs but a few cents at any drug store, but it is sufficient to remove every hard corn, soft corn, or corn between the toes, and the calluses, without soreness or irritation. Frezzone is the sensational discovery of a Cincinnati Genius. It is wonderful.

Groceries.—Bettsworth.

NEW EXCHANGE TELEPHONE RATES EFFECTIVE MAY 1, 1919.

A new schedule of telephone exchange rates became effective in Hickman, Ky., May 1, by direction of the Operating Board of the United States Telegraph and Telephone Administration, acting under the order of Postmaster General of the United States.

As you know, all of the lines and property of this company are in the possession, control and are being operated by the United States Government under the direction of the Postmaster General of the United States.

The new rates are necessary in order that additional revenue may be secured by the government to meet the increased operating expenses. The causes which make greater telephone revenue necessary are due to the new conditions and the new price levels introduced by the war and are entirely beyond the control of the United States Telegraph and Telephone Administration or of the Telephone Company.

More than two years ago the Company foresaw that the telephone system would be operated at a loss unless the rates could be adjusted to meet the increasing costs of all elements entering into the production of service. A similar rate adjustment would have been unavoidable under private control and the new rate schedule is practically the same we would have sought in 1918 if the government had not taken possession of our property.

As stated by the Postmaster General, the owners of the telephone system do not benefit in any way from rate changes. Practically all of the increased operating expenses which require this additional revenue are due to increased wages paid to employees to enable them to meet the new conditions of life in the present day.

It is neither practicable nor desirable to reduce wages, and so far as wages are concerned we believe that portion of the increased operating expenses to be permanent.

The new rate schedule is fair and reasonable and the percentage of increased revenue which it will produce is much lower than the increased cost of other services and commodities of a similar character.

Complete detailed information about the new rates may be obtained at the manager's office. We are making every effort to change our records promptly, and your courteous consideration will be appreciated. The new rate for your service is shown on your statement for May 1.

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CUTTING SCRAPE.

Noble Prewitt, of Cayce, Receives Dangerous Cut in Fight.

Noble Prewitt, of near Cayce and a son of Will Prewitt, is reported to be in a critical condition as a result of a knife wound received Sunday night, at Cayce, and Jas. Atwill has been arrested and is on bond on charge of having inflicted the injuries. Prewitt received cuts on the head and neck, a slash on each side of the neck, nose and upper lip split open, several slashes on top of the head and one in the chest. The attending physician found it necessary to take 18 stitches to close the wounds. While his wounds are of serious nature, he is said to be resting as well as could be expected.

The cause of the trouble was unable to ascertain. Both are well known young men, James being the son of Lewis Atwill, a prominent farmer of near Hickman.

Will Davis, nephew of D. D. Davis, was also arrested in connection with the affair, and released on bond.

Mrs. Lewis Faville (formerly Miss Hazel Adams of Hickman) of New Haven, Conn., wires her father, C. M. Adams, that they have a new ten-pound boy at their home. The young man has been named Frank Adams Faville.

Eggs For Hatching: Thr. Brown Leghorn eggs at \$1 per setting; also a few young cockrels at \$1 each.—Mrs. J. C. Barrett.

Women!

Here is a message to suffering women, from Mrs. W. T. Price, of Public, Ky.: "I suffered with painful... she writes. 'I got down with a weakness in my back and limbs... I felt helpless and discouraged... I had about given up hopes of ever being well again, when a friend insisted I

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129-Acre Farm Cheap. For quick sale, we offer a nice little place of 129 acres, 6 miles south of Hickman, at a bargain. About 70 acres, part of the creek bottom, in cultivation, most of the balance can be put in; all strong, well producing land. Ever since Noah left the ark, this land has laid out under the sunshine and rain absorbing all the fertility that nature imparts to the earth. For the past 25 years it has been carefully farmed. Never has it been asked to produce without putting something back. Small orchard, barn, ordinary 4-room house, good chicken, two living springs, all under fair fence. Is rented now for third of corn and fourth of cotton. One mile from Beech Grove, but just over Tennessee line. Particulars at this office. 2-10p.

Cotton pin check Pants, Ties and Towels, none better, sizes 30 to 50, our make, \$1.75.—Sullivan Bros.

The regular monthly meeting of the council will be held Monday night.

Edmonds Army Shoes, none better, \$7.50 at Sullivan Bros.

Army Tents



We have just bought, at Government Auction, a large number of army tents, 10x10, like picture, 3 ft. roll up sides, double door flaps. Will hold eight cots; some are larger.

These tents are made of No. 9 canvas, U. S. Regulation specifications and cost the Government \$125.00 each. Many of them have never been used. Our price \$25.00 as long as they last. Prompt buyers can have choice of khaki or white. Address quick

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BEST GROCERIES

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Dr. D. Y. Thomas, Ph. D., of the State University of Fayetteville, Ark., was here last Tuesday, the guest of his brother, J. P. Thomas, and other relatives. He was enroute to Nashville to deliver an address at one of the colleges there.

Julian Geens, son of Mrs. Etta Nallling, of Cayce, and who was the first Fulton county boy to land in France, is expected home this week.

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Judge B. T. Davis was in Mayfield on business yesterday.

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CIRCUIT COURT.

Several Suits of Interest Filed Since Last Report.

The following cases have been filed since last report and will be tried at the May term:

Kroy Packing Company vs. Bailey & Simpson, of Fulton. Suit on account amount involved \$283.34.

Nevada County Bank, of Arkansas, vs. J. W. Lewis. Suit on note for \$122. John Grear vs. J. E. Choate. Plaintiff alleges he purchased a mule from Mr. Choate, for \$125, which was represented by defendant to be sound, but that the animal is not sound and has weak eyes. He asks for \$200 damages.

W. T. Cooper vs. Southern Express Co. Cooper claims to have delivered to the agent at Cayce a suit case for shipment to Obion, Tenn. That said suit case was lost and in, together with contents, was worth \$90. He sues for that amount.

Horace McGill vs. Dollie McGill. Suit for divorce. Couple was married at Huntington, Tenn., April, 1911. He claims his wife left him without cause.

Lorenn Lankford vs. Tom Lankford. Divorce. The petition states they were married in this county in December, 1907; have three children, ages 10-4-3; that defendant treated plaintiff in a "cruel and inhuman manner and shows a settled aversion to her, etc."

Mabel Collins vs. DeWitt Collins. Divorce. Married at Fulton, March, 1915. Abandonment charged. A daughter was born to the couple since he left her. Custody of the little girl is asked by the mother.

Rev. E. L. Milley, ex parte. Petition for the adoption of three orphan children, whose parents were recently killed in a railroad wreck, and whose mother was a sister of Mrs. Milley. Two of the little boys are twins, age 6, and one age 3 years. Their names are George, John R. and Ben Lawrence.

The number of divorce cases before the court is the largest ever known—20 having been filed since last term of court.

Misdemeanor cases set for the first day of the term are as follows:

W. F. Pierson, pointing a deadly weapon.

Clair Hite, carrying concealed deadly weapon.

Tom Bradberry, common nuisance.

M. C. Harding, violating local option law (appeal from quarterly court).

John Adair, same.

Felony cases—set for second day—are as follows:

Henry Macklin, malicious shooting.

Mary Hainsborough, grand larceny.

Ples Hyman, malicious cutting.

Willis Hunkap and Leonard Guthrie, grand larceny.

Herbert Nance, forgery.

WEATHER REPORT.

Fair Tonight and Friday. Colder to night.

Computing Time in Greenland. Up in Greenland, where the nights are six months long, the time-table makes no difference on the score of daylight saving. "What time do you have breakfast?" asked the traveling man at the Greenland hotel. "From half-past March to quarter of May," answered the urbane clerk.

Making the Dandelion Beautiful. The original chrysanthemum, from which all the superb varieties we know today are descended, was, in its wild state, no bigger or handsomer than a dandelion. It is found that the latter grows with astonishing rapidity and luxuriance of bloom under cheesecloth shade.

Courier, 3 months, 40c.

TEACHERS ELECTED.

Board Names Teachers for Next Year. Two New Ones.

The Hickman School Board met Tuesday night and elected teachers for the coming school year, as follows:

Hickman College.
Prof. J. M. Calvin, Principal.
J. D. Miller, High School.
Miss Annie Sharon, 8th grade.
Mrs. Mary Barbour, 7th grade.
Miss Lora Brock, 6th grade.
Mrs. Avee Jurey, 6th grade.
Miss Mattie Mad Sney, 5th grade.
Miss Mildred Ramage, 4th grade.
Mrs. Bessie Howell, 3rd grade.
Miss Light Farris 1st grade.
Miss Marguerite Piqua, Music.

The two new teachers taking the place of Miss Mary Prather and Miss Ola Johnson, who were not appointed are Miss Ruth Hillard, of Water Valley, Ky., and Miss Christine Watson, of Brownsville, Tenn. They have not been assigned. There is also a vacancy in high school to be filled.

West Hickman.
Mrs. Van Fuller, 4th grade.
Mrs. Lena Parham, 3rd grade.
Miss Vivian Caldwell, 2nd grade.
Miss Ruby Sney, 1st grade.

The board also bought for \$500 the Helen Taylor property just east of the College. The old residence will be torn down and the ground added to the campus.

ITALIANS ARE PEEVED.

Because Pres. Wilson would not consent to giving Italy a slice off the old Hungarian empire, the Italian delegates have returned home and will not participate in the peace conference work. They want the city of Fiume and assert they will keep it, even if by force. In fact, they have 200,000 soldiers there now for the purpose of retarding possession of the place. To say the least the relations between the Allies and Italy are strained.

In the meantime, the German envoys have arrived in Versailles for the purpose of signing the treaty, which will be handed to them tomorrow. If the Italians persist in pointing, the treaty will be handed just as though this nation did not exist. The Japs are also clamoring for race equality and special privileges in China, neither of which will be granted, but their delegates are still at Paris.

Court begins here Monday.



A good appearance is a valuable asset.

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THE TAILORING YOU NEED

R. L. Bradley

Local Representative

H. M. (Shorty) Hardin is home again, after nine months in France, Belgium and England. He was attached to an Ammunition Train. Shorty was knocked senseless by a high explosive shell on one occasion and was in the first aid station when he regained consciousness; otherwise he escaped injury.

E. T. Randle, C. T. Bombardier and Joe Taylor were in Union City on business yesterday.

LOOKING BACKWARD.

Historical Data of Pioneer Days in Hickman and Fulton County: Facts and Traditions Aneent the Hundredth Anniversary of Hickman.

—Compiled by Judge B. T. Davis.

Hickman is one hundred years old sometime in the year of 1913. Just what day or what month the first settler came and just where the first cabin was built in which he lived or which he used as a store room is now difficult if not impossible to locate. The memory of man can scarcely be stretched over one hundred years.

It is a matter of history that this place was first known as Mills Pond. It was several years later that the town became known as Hickman. Its name was probably changed because of the name of the county.

In 1821 the territory of Kentucky west of the Tennessee river was formed into Hickman county but that act provided for the formation of the counties of Graves, Calloway and McCracken out of the same territory. Graves county now has the original boundaries assigned to it. Calloway included that portion of the territory that is east of the eastern line of Graves county extending north to the Tennessee River. Hickman county, as originally formed, included all the territory west of Graves county and south of Mayfield Creek and McCracken county included the remainder of the territory.

Just who was the first settler in that portion of the territory which is now Fulton county and the place of settlement is a matter of great interest. It can now be ascertained only by tradition. Perhaps the records of conveyances of the lands and the patents granted to the settlers upon the lands might tend to confirm a tradition giving the name of the first settler and the place of his residence.

Among the names to be found in the earliest records of Fulton county are Muddox, Shaw, Prather, Marr, Watson, Tyler, McFadden and Miles.

The first deed recorded in Fulton county was a conveyance to Greenberry Watson, conveying to him the northwestern quarter of Section 48, T. 1, R. 6 West. This is a quarter of land on the Mississippi River near what was formerly known as the Gulf, and, as near as can be ascertained, as the home place of Mr. S. L. DeBow. Perhaps a considerable portion of this original quarter has fallen into the Mississippi River.

Memphis has also completed the century run this year and great preparations are being made for a suitable celebration. It is not known yet whether or not Hickman will attempt any celebration of this event which is the first occurrence of this kind in its lifetime.

In order that tradition, historical facts and incidents occurring in the early life of the settlement, when the country was covered with cane, and "varnits" were plentiful, may not be forgotten and may be put in written record, this paper will devote each week space for publication. The citizens interested in preserving printed forms of the incidents of the early settlement of the vicinity are invited to contribute to this column. Suitable articles will be published in due time, preference being given to those oldest in point of time. Incidents occurring in the earliest development of Hickman are particularly desirable. The location of old buildings, the mills and warehouses are interesting.

It is said that the houses first built on the north side of Clinton street were built upon large blocks so high above the ground that horses could be hitched under the floors of such houses. Just how far the river was from the business houses in the early days is a matter of inquiry.

If sufficient matter is contributed to this column it may be made an interesting as well as a printed record for the citizens of the vicinity of all matters connected with the early settlement and of interesting incidents and antedotes.

(Editor's note: Judge Davis has kindly consented to edit this column for the Courier each week. It will be found of special interest to both old and young; and our older readers, especially, can materially assist Judge Davis by giving him any information they may possess of interesting incidents of the early days of both town and county. Feel free to write or relate to him anything along this line. The subject matter of this column is deeply interesting in view of the fact that our city is 100 years old this year. We trust it will also be an incentive to proper recognition and celebration of this historical event.)

REAL ESTATE.

Transfers Recorded With County Clerk During the Past Week.

Charley Stubblefield to Mary H. and B. R. Jones, lot in Fulton, \$1750.

T. F. Moore to L. G. Walters, Fulton town lot, \$40.

Lon Keltley to L. G. Rogers, lot in Fulton, \$50.

Joe Ferguson to Annie W. Edwards, house and lot in Crutchfield, \$900.

Dr. J. M. Hubbard to Mrs. Rose Hubbard, lot at intersection of Obion and Buchanan Sts., \$1, etc.

J. J. Gutes to L. M. Adams, lot at Fulton, \$1000.

J. H. Newhouse to J. J. House, lot Carra Addition, Fulton, \$200.

H. L. Williams to G. L. Walters, lot at Fulton, \$100.

T. J. Wild to Finley R. Bryant, lot in Norman Ad. Fulton, \$2000.

Practically on Same Plane.

"De man dat believes everything he hears," said Uncle Eben, "ain't much worse off dan de man dat won't believe nothing 'ceptin' what pleases him."



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Household ammonia is effective for cleaning purposes.

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Veal Beef Liver
Brains Spare Ribs
Breakfast Bacon Ham
Boiled and Minced Ham
Sausage Weinners

For the Week-End

Fresh Buns. Cinnamon Rolls
Coffee Cakes
Snake Rolls Bread
Cakes and Cookies

For the Home

Ice Cream Freezers
Lawn Mowers
Rubber Hose
Garden Plows
Garden Tools, etc.

LANDED IN JAIL.

Rosco Anderson, Charged With Stealing Auto, Caught in Georgia.

Rosco Anderson, wanted here on a charge of having stolen J. C. Ellison's Ford car, while it stood on the street in Fulton last summer, was apprehended in Savannah, Ga., this week and brought back by Sheriff Walker and placed in jail to await the action of circuit court.

It will be remembered that he drove the car to Greenville, Tenn., where he sold it to a garage man and got away. The car was later recovered.

DEMONSTRATOR TO WED.

Miss Margaret Wilson, for several months county Demonstrator for this county, is to wed on June 7th at her home in Cincinnati. The lucky groom-to-be is Jos. H. Newell, of Chicago.

Miss Wilson is a very fine girl; pretty, sensible, practical. Sorry we are to lose her.

Jodie Langford arrived yesterday from Camp Taylor where he received his discharge from military service. He was a member of the 91st (Wild West) division, and on the battle front when the armistice was signed.

Mrs. J. M. Hubbard has returned from an extended visit with relatives at Tampa, Fla.

J. E. Choate, of Memphis, was the guest of Julian Choate and family Monday.

Men's pln check pants, size up to 50, at \$1.75.—Stillman Bros.

Our Record Open to Public

We have been in Hickman a little over two years and wish to compare our record to the record of any of our competitors as the circumstances are such that we will have to quit business in the near future.

1st—Don't owe any man in the town a penny.
2nd—Have never been accused of a misdemeanor.

3rd—Have observed all food regulations set by the government.

4th—Have "invested" in every war work charity.

5th—Have been assessed two hundred and fifty in Liberty bonds and bought five fifty.

There has never been any fault found with the way we have conducted our place of business, except that we refused to cater to any certain political or business clique.

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BARGAINS IN REAL ESTATE

FIRST.

We will give you the description of the best bargain you will be able to find. It is a tract of 178 acres 1/2 mile from a good incorporated town, all in cultivation, with a good eight-room dwelling, good barn 48x52 feet. You can buy this place for the cheap price of \$85 per acre with only 1-3 cash and balance on easy payments. This is a bargain and will sell for \$100 per acre before Jan. 1st, 1920.

SECOND.

This is a fine tract of 157 acres, one and one-half miles from a good town on a main public road, near a good school and church, with a new six-room house, new barn, and fine well. Forty acres of this farm is in grass and clover, eighty-five acres in corn and twelve acres in tobacco. If this place suits you you must act quickly because it will not be on the market at this price but a few days longer.

THIRD.

Here we have a small tract of twenty-four acres, with a good one and a half story residence, good barn, nice young locust grove for posts, close to a graded school and church. This tract is four and one-half miles from the best town on the globe and on a big public road. There is also another tract of twenty-four acres that joins this one that can be bought which will make a nice little home. This tract can be bought for \$4600.00.

FOURTH.

Another small place of fifty acres four miles from Hickman on a public road, all in cultivation and most of it is in grass and clover. On this place is a good five-room house, good barn, good deep well, a young orchard. The price of this place is only \$5000.00. This is an exceptionally good stock farm, and would suit any one who wants a small home.

FIFTH.

This tract has 160 acres in it, is about three miles from a good town, real near a good church and school and in a very fine neighborhood, has a house, barn and all other necessary improvements on it for a home. If you are interested in a place this size, see this one, the price is reasonable and the terms are to suit the purchaser.

SIXTH.

Now for the farm of the farms, here it is. A tract of one hundred and two acres on one of the main public roads, has a good new five-room dwelling, two good barns, good well, close to a good school and church. This farm has that rich, black, loamy soil that will grow anything you want. The price of this tract is \$16000.00 with good easy terms.

SEVENTH.

A small tract of thirty acres one mile from Hickman, on main public road with a good four-room house, two barns, hen-house, good well and spring. We can sell you this place for \$5000.00, one-half cash, balance in three years.

EIGHTH.

A bargain in Missouri land, one hundred and sixty acres two miles from Hickman, with two dwellings and barns. Part of this tract is in front of the levee but the price is according. For a quick deal we can sell you this place for \$60 per acre with \$5200.00 cash, balance in four years. If you would be interested in this place you had better see us now.

NINTH.

If you are interested in a good farm in the upper bottom we have it. One hundred and fifty acres, six miles from Hickman with two small houses, good barn, good well. About half of this farm is in cultivation and the rest has some good timber on it. Price \$8000.00, one-third cash, balance in easy payments.

Now for houses and lots in town we have several ranging in price from \$1250.00 to \$6000.00, but cannot give description of all of them, so if you are in the market for a home it will pay you to see us. We also have quite a number more farms both in Missouri and Kentucky, and will be pleased to drive you out to see any of them at any time.

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—HELM & ELLISON.

John Henry Henson, 10 years old, was sentenced to serve eleven years in the State Reform School at Greenfield by Judge Bullock, in the Juvenile Court at Lexington, Monday afternoon, on a charge of stealing two horses.

L. A. Stone, wife and daughter, Miss Mary, motored to Greenfield, Tenn., Sunday, and were guests of relatives.

Try our "cats" once, and you will be with us often.—Busy Bee.

WORK HAS STARTED. MAKES GOOD ROADS.

Crystal Theatre Remodeling Building. Pendleton Stores Fixtures.

Dowey Lamkin, who helps to make the Crystal Theatre one of the best movie shows in the state, tells us that the management hopes to be able to get the show going again by the 15th of this month in its new home in the building recently occupied by the Busy Bee restaurant. The Crystal, it will be remembered, was destroyed by fire about the middle of March.

Being unable to get possession of the building, into which he plans to move his restaurant, Mr. Pendleton, we are told, will store his fixtures for the present. The building in question is that occupied by Berry's Cafe, and owned by B. G. Hale. There seems to be a difference of opinion between Mr. Hale and Mr. Berry as to the terms of the lease, whether monthly or yearly, and the matter is to be taken into court for settlement before the Busy Bee proprietor can tell where he will locate.

Miss Ethel Brock, of Greenfield, Tenn., is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. L. A. Stone.

Mrs. E. M. Provow and daughter, Lovie Mae, visited in Tiptonville this week.

One of the closing acts of the Tennessee Legislature was to give the right of suffrage to the women of the state, although in a somewhat limited form. This is the first Southern state to take this step.

You Do More Work.

You are more ambitious and you get more enjoyment out of everything when your blood is in good condition. Impurities in the blood have a very depressing effect on the system, causing weakness, laziness, nervousness and sickness.

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The Strength-Creating Power of GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC has made it the favorite tonic in thousands of homes. More than thirty-five years ago, folks would ride a long distance to get GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC when a member of their family had Malaria or needed a body-building, strength-giving tonic. The formula is just the same today, and you can get it from any drug store. 60c per bottle.

Fulton County Road Crew and Modern Machinery Doing Fine Work.

The 1913 road working program in Fulton county is being carried out and road improvement is in full swing. The grading and repair work is being handled different this year. Instead of letting grading contracts to individuals, the county invested in a monster tractor, grader and truck and employed three men to handle the work under the supervision of County Highway Engineer McConnell.

The crew started work in the east end of the county and are working this way, coming via State Road and will be in the vicinity of Cayce the last of the week. Reports from the work done so far are very complimentary. It is said the power machinery is far superior to the old mule-power method. On an average about two miles of road is completed per day; all roads being widened to full width, banks cut down, ditches opened, culverts repaired, etc. This will be supplemented by a regular dragging as heretofore.

In operation the tractor, which weighs seven tons, is hitched about 40 feet from the grader. In some instances, it requires as much as six "rounds" to complete the job, but it leaves a beautiful stretch of road behind it.

This innovation in highway construction is proving entirely satisfactory. While the county has for several years been necessitated with the best dirt roads in the state, they will be even better after this outfit makes the rounds. The idea, of course, is to give the most important highways—between Hickman and Fulton—first consideration.

The Quinine That Does Not Affect the Head Because of its tonic and laxative effect, LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE is better than ordinary quinine and does not cause nervousness nor ringing in head. Remember the full name and look for the signature of E. W. GROVE, 30c.

Mrs. Parkshole Hamlett has sued her husband for divorce, charging him with drunkenness and waste of estate. The Hamletts lived at Hopkinsville before Mr. Hamlett was elected State Superintendent, but since going out of office they have resided at Columbia, Ky., and Mr. Hamlett has been engaged in the publication of the Adair County News.

John Fox, one of Mississippi county's oldest citizens, died at his country home in the Fox neighborhood, south of Charleston. The funeral was from St. Henry's Catholic church. Fox was born in Bavaria in 1832. He died of cancer.

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Bondurant Bros. for that Keen Kutter Ash.



Come on! Now for a real tobacco treat! Hit up your old pipe or take a man's size chew and see how this waxy, mellow, old twist warms the cockles of your heart. The smell of it alone will take you right back for more. Ask for War Hawk! At all live merchants! Guaranteed by **John D. Moore Tobacco Co.** incorporated LOUISVILLE, KY.

GO TO SUNDAY SCHOOL.

Next Sunday, May 4, is the occasion of the 6th annual "Go to Sunday School Sunday," and the Sunday school superintendents of Hickman extend a cordial invitation to everyone to attend.

Mrs. Joe Ingle and Miss Annie Helm Ellison left Saturday for Memphis to visit friends and attend Scott's Grand Opera there Monday and Tuesday.

Miss Nellie Bondurant spent a few days this week with her sister Mrs. James Cunningham, of Union City.

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Miss Lucille Crook left Sunday for Memphis to attend Scott's Grand Opera Monday and Tuesday.

For thread, needles, pins, buttons, elastic and lots of other things in notions see **Bettsworth**.

Miss Mary Strange spent the week-end with her parents at Fulton.

BODY OF GEO. GROOMS.

The body of a white man, identified as that of George Grooms, was found in Reelfoot Lake, near Sandburg, Tuesday morning. There was what appeared to be a bullet hole in the back of the head, and it is thought the man had been killed and the body thrown in the lake in an attempt to conceal the crime. He was about 45 years old and lived in the vicinity of Sandburg. Other particulars are not available at this time.

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First Methodist Messenger

R. C. Douglass, Editor

Last Sunday was most certainly an enjoyable day for our people. Brother Roberts is one of our very promising young preachers. He brought the congregation under obligations to him for that splendid sermon Sunday night.

The Lord's Supper will be administered Sunday morning. This sacred feast is for all who care to avail themselves of the glorious privilege of thus witnessing for their Lord and Master. All mothers are invited to partake as we do not follow any pattern, for the simple reason that we have none to follow. At the Institution Christ administered and only Apostles partook. We wonder if Jesus and his Apostles belonged to one church and all other disciples, including the Lord's mother, belonged to another?

Mr. John R. Pepper, of Memphis, Tenn., the noted layman and world renowned Sunday school worker, Director of the Centenary Campaign of the Memphis Conference, will deliver an address at the First Methodist Church, Sunday, May 4, at 8:15 p. m. A cordial invitation is extended to the public to all our services. Do not miss hearing Mr. Pepper.

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For World Reconstruction and Christianizing the Social Order 1819-Centenary-1919.

The Patriotic Task of Southern Methodism—to give the whole world the only true peace-making power on earth—the gospel of Jesus Christ.

Of what use to win the war for democracy unless we go on and win the world for Christ?

Minute Men must not be slackers. Only cowardly quail when the time comes to go out.

The popularity of the Minute Men may be realized from the fact that the Centenary Bulletin, their official organ, has a monthly circulation of 250,000. It began with a circulation of 10,000 in January.

So enthusiastically have the Minute Men become that fourteen secretaries are required to handle the correspondence which flows in from them constantly. One pastor writes: "We are ready to go, and Sparta will go under the wheel along with the first."

Watch—Hickman go Over the Top the First Sunday of the Drive. Not only will Methodism go over the top, but there will be more activity than in the first year.

The supreme need of the world and

the supreme task of the church is to see that the new social order which rises from the wreck of the old is Christian. For unless this new social order is Christian, there can never be any peace for the nations or safety for men. History attests this.

Back of the League of Nations must be God, if it is to endure. The Brotherhood of Man, without recognition and acceptance of the Fatherhood of God, is a dangerous delusion. This is having abundant proof in Russia today where God has been officially abolished by the Bolsheviks, who are exemplifying their idea of the Brotherhood of Man by gouging out the eyes of helpless captives and committing every excess that hands incarnate can devise.

We see in the present world situation a contest between disorder and moral stability. The forces of immorality are in action everywhere, and in all cases their first attack is against the Church and religion. In Portland recently the head of the so-called Soviet crew, "Your democracy is a lie; your liberty is a lie; your God is a lie."

In Russia, churches have been confiscated and turned into theatres and dancing halls wherein barlets and prostitutes hold nightly revels. Say brother, don't you want to help us in our Big Centenary Drive May 1st?

Our own ambassador in Russia testifies that decrees have been published for the "nationalization of women," and that marriage and divorce laws have been enacted which were below the standard of barbarism. So it will always be when men "abolish God."

The Centenary Movement proposes to supply the stabilizing elements of religion, education and morality to a wavering world. The Centenary will go into the very heart of threatened nations and there inject Christ into the rebuilding of social life. THIS is fundamental as fundamental as the League of Nations. Any person who does not see this is utterly blind.

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FROST DOES DAMAGE.

In the truck growing section of Tennessee, the frost Friday morning damaged the tomato and bean crop. It is estimated that 50 per cent of these crops have been killed. The same spell of weather is reported to have killed practically the entire peach crop of southern Illinois. H. H. Lambert, of Anna, Ill., sold his peach crop to a Pittsburgh, Pa., corporation for \$95,000 late Thursday evening—and Friday morning the frost killed the crop. Locally, very little damage is reported. Peaches have not been hurt and prospects are good for a bumper crop.

SEED CORN FOR SALE.

Little St. Charles Red Cob, Seed Corn, raised in river bottom just across the river from Hickman. Price \$3 per bushel.—Bryant & Polmanns, Hickman, Ky. 5-cs.

Posts For Sale: Good Black Locust, delivered in or near Hickman, at 40c each.—Sam Wilson.

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RUBBER TIRES.

We are now prepared to put on rubber tires. We use only the best rubber. Drive around to the Hickman Wagon Factory and have your buggy retired while you wait. Also bring your corn and have your meal made of your own corn. You can't miss the toll we take.

We also have Corona Wool Fat in stock, 50c and \$1.00 size. Will send by parcel post prepaid on receipt of price. We have two and three-horse harnesses, single shovels, double-trees, single-trees, clevises, tap-rings, for sale at close prices. See us for what you want.—J. E. May & Son, Hickman, Ky. 5-1p.

Chronos Brier, who has been in the recruiting service at Ft. Thomas, Ky., for the past year, has received his discharge and returned home. He is thinking very seriously of re-enlisting, which means, of course, that Mr. Brier likes soldiering.

For Sale: My residence on Dresden Road, also a bottom farm.—W. B. Phelps.

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I have decided to add a mile and complete line of dry goods to my stock of merchandise and will try and keep what you want at reasonable prices. I also solicit a share of your produce trade. I get the market each day and pay according to market. Yours to please, J. M. Astell, Cayce, Ky. 5-1c

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For a hog to be profitable he must be kept growing from birth to marketing age. He cannot be profitable unless he is healthy. He can always be in a profit-producing condition if he is fed B. A. Thomas' Hog Powder. We positively tell you that this remedy prevents cholera, removes worms and cures thumps. If the powder does not make good, we will.—F. E. Case, Adv.

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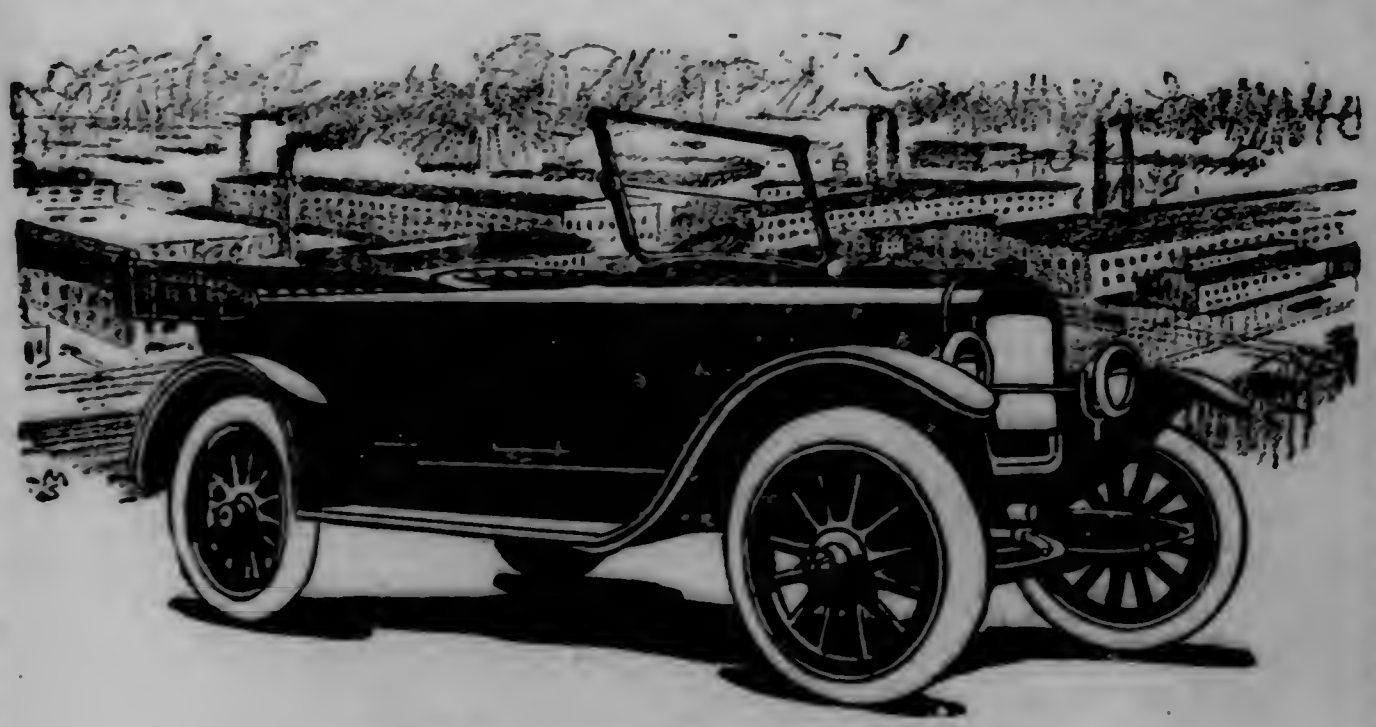
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